

Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the application in view of the foregoing amendments and the following remarks/arguments.

An information disclosure statement is submitted herewith to disclose United States Patent Application Serial No. 11/075,938, United States Pub. No. 2005/0199320  
5 A1 to Thompson et al. which is commonly owned with the instant application Please charge deposit account 23-3060 to cover the cost of the information disclosure statement.

Additional claims 21-25 have been added. Please charge deposit account 23-3060 to cover the cost of the additional claims.

A Fee Transmittal form is submitted herewith.

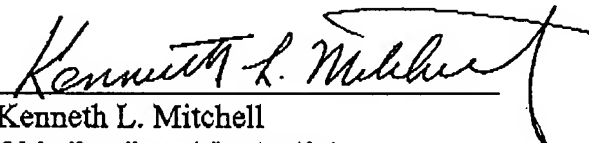
10 This response is believed to be timely. However, in the event an extension of time is needed for this response, please consider this document as a petition for an extension of time.

If there are any additional charges, or any overpayment, in connection with the filing of the amendment, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any such  
15 deficiency, or credit any such overpayment, to Deposit Account 23-3060.

Respectfully submitted,

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